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### TO OUR FLORIST FRIENDS

WE hope that many of our florist friends have had an opportunity this spring to see one or the other of our Sweet Pea displays at the International Flower Show in New York City, The Philadelphia Flower Show, The National Flower Show held in Detroit, The Chicago Garden and Flower Show, or the Cleveland Flower Show. Altogether our Sweet Peas were awarded this spring, four Gold Medals, four Silver Medals, three First Prizes, a Certificate of Award, and Honorary Mention. Many thousands of visitors to the shows have thronged our displays and marvelled at the wonderful range of colors and superb size of the Burpee strain.

You can depend on Burpee's Sweet Peas to produce the kind of blooms that will bring top notch market prices. Some of the largest and most successful Sweet Pea growers are planting Burpee's Seeds to the exclusion of all others, because they know what Burpee Quality means.

All Burpee Sweet Peas are grown on our own Floradale Farms in California and we are ready to serve you with the best quality seed.

Faithfully yours,

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**Seed Growers** 

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WATLER BURPER FOR DISPLAY SWEET PEAS 1927



Like the scenes in a fairy tale, acres upon acres of fragrant dainty Sweet Peas greet the visitor to Burpee's Floradale Farms in the fertile Lompoc Valley, California



A close-up of one of the fields with two of our experts examining the Peas row by row

WE OFFER the seeds listed subject to prior sale at the prices quoted, postpaid to your door. Our terms are cash with order unless we know you personally or you are in a business where we can learn your financial standing from the commercial agencies.

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We guarantee the vitality and purity of our seeds to the full amount of the purchase price.

You can have your money back any time within the year if you are not satisfied with the results from Burpee's Seeds.

But even with Burpee Quality Seeds success in gardening depends largely upon cultivation, soil, and weather conditions. It is therefore agreed that in no case shall W. Atlee Burpee Co. be liable for more than the amount actually paid for the seeds.

### W. Atlee Burpee Co., Seed Growers, Philadelphia

# A Grand New Sweet Pea for Florists

Early or Winter Flowering

3308

# Mrs. Calvin Coolidge

A Charming Shade of Rich Salmon-Pink

An outstanding new Early or Winter Flowering Sweet Pea which has been named by special permission of the First Lady of the Land. A magnificent flower—large, massive, well-formed, and of heavy substance; easy to flower and carried in fours on long graceful stems. It makes up into artistic and graceful bunches.

The color is a glorious shade of bright salmon-pink with an elusive suffusion of bronzy orange in the standard. The wings show a delicate rose cast, adding to the freshness and blending with the standard into a harmonious, iridescent salmon-pink.

Mrs. Calvin Coolidge Sweet Pea has been greatly admired at all Flower Shows during the spring of 1927. It received the Gold Medal at the Philadelphia Flower Show, and a Silver Medal each at the National Flower Show, Detroit; The International Flower Show, New York City, and the Cleveland Flower Show. It was also awarded a Certificate of Merit at the Chicago Garden and Flower Show.



# Burpee's Sweet Peas for Florists

### Early or Winter Flowering

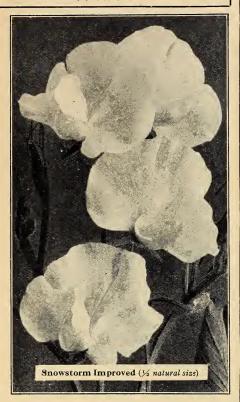
Burpee's Sweet Peas are world-famous, and our strains of Early or Winter Flowering Spencer Sweet Peas are recognized as the standard. They are planted by many of the leading Sweet Pea specialists to the exclusion of all other strains.

Growers who sell their flowers to the best markets realize that the quality of the blooms is most important to get the highest market prices, and that is the reason

why the majority plant Burpee's Sweet Peas.

Our close contact with many of the largest and most successful Sweet Pea growers and our extensive plantings of Sweet Peas on Burpee's Floradale Farms in California enable us to offer varieties of the highest commercial value.

### WHITE



### 3392 Snowstorm Improved

This is the leading white Winter Flowering Sweet Pea in existence. It is unexcelled for both winter and spring cutting. The flowers are of immense size, well waved, and of artistic proportions. The texture is thick and substantial. Most outstanding is the glistening purity of its graceful flowers. The blooms are borne usually in fours on very long and strong stems. Snowstorm Improved can be flowered at any season, though it produces its best spikes when the days begin to lengthen. It was awarded a Certificate of Merit. Pkt.  $15 \not\in$ ; 1/2 oz.  $30 \not\in$ ; oz.  $55 \not\in$ ; 4 ozs. \$1.80; 1/2 lb. \$3.30; lb. \$6.00.

### 3391 Burpee's White Star

Pure white flowers of exquisite texture, artistic form, and firm substance. A profuse bloomer. Even though it is a black-seeded variety, the flowers are a clear white, free from any pink shading. Awarded a Certificate of Merit. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 25¢; oz. 45¢; 4 ozs. \$1.50; ½ lb. \$2.75; lb. \$5.00.

3381 Milkmaid Black-seeded. The flowers are glistening pure white, except during the short dark days of mid-winter, when we may find a tinge of color in the younger flowers. Awarded two Certificates. Pkt. 15¢; ½ 0z. 35¢; 0z. 65¢; 4 0zs. \$2.10; ½ 1b. \$3.90; 1b. \$7.00.

3327 White Harmony A pure white, black-seeded variety of great merit. Flowers of good size borne on long stems. It was awarded two Silver Medals and three Certificates of Merit when exhibited at the Flower Shows held in Detroit, Chicago, and Philadelphia during the past spring season. Pkt. (20 seeds) 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.00; oz. \$1.95; 4 ozs. \$6.00; ½ lb. \$10.75; lb. \$20.00.

### CREAM

3342 Canary Bird This is a splendid cream or Primrose-colored self. The flowers are of great size and fine form. Both the standard and wings are gracefully waved. Can be brought into bloom at any season. Pkt.  $15\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz.  $30\phi$ ; oz.  $55\phi$ ; 4 ozs. \$1.80;  $\frac{1}{2}$  1b. \$3.30; 1b. \$6.00.



### LIGHT PINK

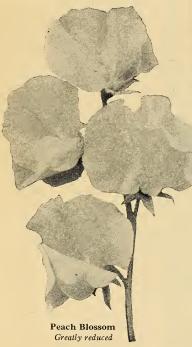
#### 3376 Loveliness

Delicate pink, the edges beautifully picoteed with rose-pink. It is a graceful flower of immense size and firm substance. The long-stemmed flowers are borne very early even during the short days. Loveliness is one of the most free blooming Sweet Peas we have ever seen.

Awarded a Certificate of Merit. Pkt. 15¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 30¢; oz. 55¢; 4 ozs. \$1.80;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. \$3.30; lb. \$6.00.

#### 3318 Miss Louise Gude

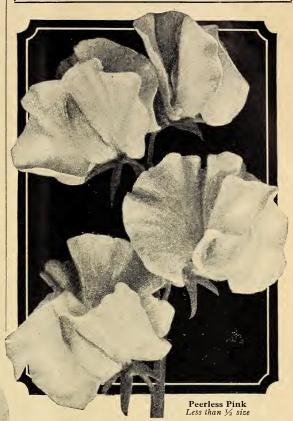
The color is a charming shell-pink throughout. It is a shade which is always in demand. The flowers are large and well formed. Carried four on a stem of great length, they make up into very attractive bunches. Miss Louise Gude is a very popular variety with many growers. Pkt.  $15\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz.  $25\phi$ ; oz.  $45\phi$ ; 4 ozs. \$1.50;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. \$2.75; lb. \$5.00.



### 3382 Peach Blossom

Light Amaranth-pink, deepening somewhat around the edges of the standard and wings. The color becomes more pronounced as the days lengthen. A vigorous grower and free-flowering, with stems of great length. A shade which enjoys great popularity in many of the best markets. Excellent for all seasons. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 25¢; oz. 45¢; 4 ozs. \$1.50; ½ lb. \$2.75; lb. \$5.00.

### CREAM-PINK



### 3319 Peerless Pink

Glowing eosine-pink on cream ground—a most wonderful and pleasing combination of colors. It is the richest cream ground Sweet Pea ever introduced, with a fine rose shading in the wings. An ideal florist variety with mammoth flowers carried in fours on long stems. Awarded two Silver Medals. Pkt. (25 seeds) 20¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.45; 4 ozs. \$4.50; ½ lb. \$8.25; lb. \$15.00.

3332 Sunlight The rich shading of these dainty Sweet Peas may be compared to scintillating rosy sunlight. The color is bright rose-pink on cream ground. The flowers are large, well-waved, and of artistic proportions. Longstemmed, very graceful, and profuse blooming. Pkt.  $20^{\circ}_{\xi}$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz.  $50^{\circ}_{\xi}$ ; oz.  $90^{\circ}_{\xi}$ ; 4 ozs. \$3.00;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. \$5.50; lb. \$10.00.

3394 Sunburst Improved A pleasing tone of rich cream with a suffusion of bright pink. Toward the edges the color assumes a distinct amber shade. flowers are borne on long stout stems. Equally valuable for fall, winter, and spring cutting. Pkt.  $15\,\text{¢}$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz.  $30\,\text{¢}$ ; oz.  $55\,\text{¢}$ ; 4 ozs. \$1.80;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. \$3.30; lb. \$6.00.

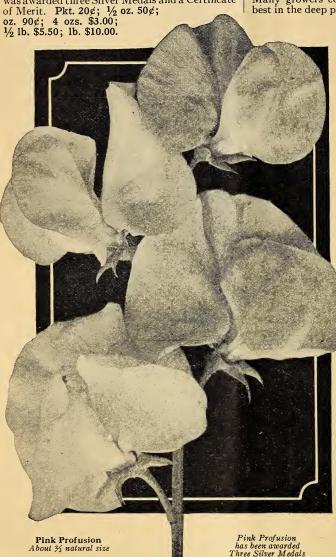
3348 Daybreak Rich rose-pink on cream ground, suffused salmon. The color deepens toward the edges of standard and wings. Excellent for mid-winter cutting, often retaining its buds when all others are dropping. Pkt. 15¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 25%; oz. 45%; 4 ozs. \$1.50;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. \$2.75; lb. \$5.00.

### DEEP PINK

3320 Superior Pink A pleasing shade of glowing pink with a soft salmon suffusion. Large, beautifully waved flowers borne in fours on long stems. Awarded a Silver Medal at the International Flower Show, New York, March, 1926. Pkt. (25 seeds) 20¢; ½ 22.75¢; oz. \$1.45; 4 ozs. \$4.50; ½ 1b. \$8.25; lb. \$15.00.

### 3314 Pink Profusion

A most remarkable variety—sparkling creampink with a bright rosy sheen. These dainty Sweet Peas make an admirable bunch of remarkable size and magnificent proportions. Pink Profusion was awarded three Silver Medals and a Certificate



### 3303 Early Giant Rose

A truly giant-flowered rose-pink with wonderful blooms borne freely on stems of great length. The wings are a trifle darker. It is an outstanding novelty raised by Morse and was awarded a Silver Medal and a Certificate of Award. Pkt. (20 seeds) 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.25; oz. \$2.25; 4 ozs. \$7.50; ½ lb. \$13.75; lb. \$25.00.

3313 Jeanne Mamitsch A magnificent variety with large flowers of a pleasing shade of glowing rose-pink. Vigorous, with wonderfully long flower-stems. Pkt.  $20 \, \varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{2} \, 0z. \, 50 \, \varepsilon$ ; oz.  $90 \, \varepsilon$ ; 4 ozs. \$3.00;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. \$5.50; lb. \$10.00.

### 3337 Zvolanek's Rose

Many growers consider this variety one of the best in the deep pink class. The flowers are large and bold, of a rich rose-pink shade. They are carried in fours on long and strong stems. Blooms profusely. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 30¢; oz. 55¢; 4 ozs. \$1.80; ½ lb. \$3.30; lb. \$6.00.

#### 3330 Zvolanek's Pink

Bright deep pink flowers of good form and large size. The color is nearly the same as Zvolanek's Rose but it is a shorter grower. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 25¢; oz. 45¢; 4 ozs. \$1.50; ½ lb. \$2.75; lb. \$5.00.

#### 3343 Cheerful

Graceful, showy blooms of a rich luminous Begonia-pink shade. Few varieties make such an imposing bunch as Cheerful. Both the standard and wings are bold and gracefully waved. A strong grower; awarded a Certificate of Merit.

A fine variety for all seasons. Pkt.  $15\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz.  $30\phi$ ; oz.  $55\phi$ ; 4 ozs. \$1.80;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. \$3.30; lb. \$6.00.

#### 3389 Rose Queen

This is an early and profuse bloomer, of a fine light rosepink shade. The flowers are much waved. Of tall strong growth. Exceptionally fine for early cutting. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 25¢; oz. 45¢; 4 ozs. \$1.50; ½ lb. \$2.75; lb. \$5.00.

#### 3351 Enchantress

Showy deep rose-pink flowers, the edges of the standard and wings carrying a slightly richer tone. A strong grower, free-flowering, and excellent during all seasons. Awarded Certificate of Merit. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 30¢; oz. 55¢; 4 ozs. \$1.80; ½ lb. \$3.30; lb. \$6.00.



### CERISE

3359 Fire King This is an Early or Winter Flowering Fiery Cross—a scorching fiery red or scarlet-cerise. According to the conditions of light, it sometimes appears as a deep orange-scarlet with a cerise sheen. Fire King is outstanding

in many ways. It is a magnificent color which goes well with the large size of the blooms. Both the standard and wings are well waved and broad. The texture of the flowers is heavy and substantial. In bright sunlight Fire King has a glow all its own, and under artificial light the color is still more intensified. There are plentyofsprayswhich carry four flowers to the stem. It is particularly recom-mended for early spring cutting. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 25¢;

oz. 45¢; 4 ozs. \$1.50; ½ lb. \$2.75; 1b. \$5.00.

3370 Gorgeous A charming soft salmon-cerise which has held its own for many years. It is a unique and pleasing color which is always greatly admired. The blooms are large, well rounded, and carried usually in fours on fine long stems. It has been, for years, a popular variety with quite a few growers who sell to markets where its clear color is appreciated. It is fine for all seasons. Pkt. 15%;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 25%; oz. 45%; 4 ozs. \$1.50;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. \$2.75;

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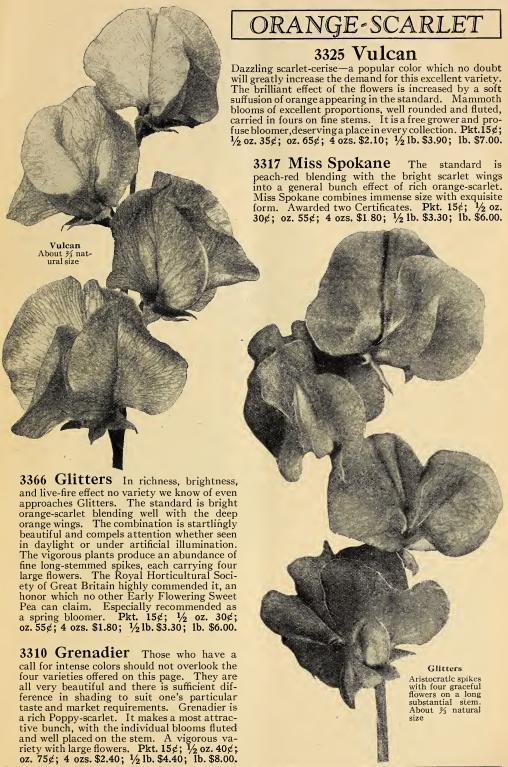
lished many years ago so that Burpee could furnish the world with the best Sweet Pea seeds that can be grown. Neither time nor money is spared to produce Sweet Peas of super quality.

### 3373 Illumination

This has always been in great demand by both growers and the buying public, and those who know the variety can well understand the reason. Illumination has been most appropriately named, as the flower has a bright illuminating sheen. The color is a bright glistening salmon-cerise with a delicate orange suffusion. When seen under artificial light the blooms

assume a rosy cerise shade, appearing even still brighter than in the daytime. A bunch of Illumination never fails to attract attention by its rich iridescence. We have been exhibiting Illumination year after year amid the newer as well as older varieties and at all times it has received great admiration from the visitors. The Royal Horticultural Society of Great Britain acknowledged its outstanding position by giving it an Award of Merit. It is unsurpassed in distinct appeal. Illumination may be grown to perfection at all seasons. Pkt. 15¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 30%; oz. 55%; 4 ozs. \$1.80;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. \$3.30; lb. \$6.00.

Illumination A life-size spike of this artistic variety



#### 3305 Chevalier

ROSE

Chevalier is a flower of great beauty and magnificent size. The blooms are borne in fours on fine long stems. It is a **true rose** with a faint and elusive touch of lemon which gives the flower, especially when bunched, a bright and pleasing life-like effect. We consider it one of if not the best of all rose varieties. Chevalier has been awarded two Certificates of Merit at The International Flower Show, New York, 1922, and The National Flower Show, Indianapolis, 1922. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 30¢; oz. 55¢; 4 ozs. \$1.80; ½ lb. \$3.30; lb. \$6.00.

#### 3387 Rosebud

An older variety which is still quite popular with many growers. The large flowers are produced freely in threes and fours. The color is a bright shining rose with a delicate bronzy suffusion throughout the standard. Exhibits all good qualities, such as size, good form, and strong texture. A fine variety, good for any season. Pkt. 15¢; ½ 20.25¢; oz. 45¢; 4 ozs. \$1.50; ½ 1b. \$2.75; lb. \$5.00.



Penrose is a fine Burpee variety which has attracted great attention every time it was exhibited. flowers are a pure clear rose, changing to somewhat more of a rosepink as they become fully developed. The luminous effect is increased by a light lemon-bronzesuffusion. A great, substantial flower of exquisite, well-waved form, borne in fours on long, strong stems. Awarded two Certificates of Merit at The International Flower Show, New York, March, 1924, and The National Flower Show, Cleveland, April, 1924. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 30¢; oz. 55¢; 4 ozs. \$1.80;

## CRIMSON

Chevalier

A grand bright, rich rose Sweet Pea. The illustration shows the flowers almost full size

### 3374 Early King

A glowing bright crimson. The flowers are of great size and perfect form, averaging fully 2 inches in diameter. Early King is still unsurpassed for brilliancy of color, size, and substance. It has been awarded three Certificates of Merit when exhibited in New York, Philadelphia, and San Francisco. Recommended for all seasons. Pkt. 15¢; ½ 0z. 25¢; 0z. 45¢; 4 0zs. \$1.50; ½ 1b. \$2.75; 1b. \$5.00.

Penrose

1/2 natural size

### LAVENDER

**3385 Princess** A lovely shade of soft lavender suffused mauve. The flowers are attractively fluted or waved. Princess retains its color even after the weather becomes very warm. Recommended for all seasons. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 25%; oz. 45%; 4 ozs. \$1.50;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. \$2.75; lb. \$5.00.

3375 Lavender King This glorious variety is a rich and true deep lavender through-out. The flowers are of large size, beautifully waved form, and borne in threes and fours on stems of great length. Excellent for early cutting and flowering profusely. This is one of the very

best lavender shades any

florist could select for his trade. Pkt. 15¢; 1/2 oz. 25¢; oz. 45¢; 4 ozs. \$1.50; ½ lb. \$2.75; lb. \$5.00. Lavender King A charming and popular shade. Flowers slightly less than natural

3324 Quaker Lady A light Lobeliaviolet with flowers of remarkable size and exquisite form. The general bunch effect is a clear rich lavender. The younger flowers show a faint tinge of rose in the standard, but when fully open this cast disappears altogether. Quaker Lady is a free-flowering variety, blooming profusely with four flowers on a long and heavy stem. It was awarded a Certificate of Merit. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 30¢; oz. 55¢; 4 ozs. \$1.80; ½1b. \$3.30; lb. \$6.00.

3321 Sweet Lavender A distinct and lovely addition to this class. It is a clear soft lavender throughout, a true self, lacking any rose suffusion. The large flowers are beautifully waved and borne on stems of great length. The plants are vigorous and free blooming. Pkt. 20¢; are vigorous and free blooming. Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 90¢; 4 ozs. \$3.00; ½ lb. \$5.50; lb. \$10.00.

3312 Harmony A very beautiful clear lavender, of vigorous habit and extremely free flowering, with blooms held erect on long wiry stems. It is a pleasing variety, good for mid-winter and spring. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 30¢; oz. 55¢; 4 ozs. \$1.80; ½ lb. \$3.30; lb. \$6.00.

### DARK BLUE

#### 3340 Blue Jacket

This variety has become popular with Sweet Pea lovers who prefer the dark shades. It is a rich dark navy-blue self with large, well-rounded, and waved blooms. Free flowering and excellent for all seasons. Pkt. 15¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 25¢; oz. 45¢; 4 ozs. \$1.50;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. \$2.75; lb. \$5.00.

### BLUE

### 3338 Blue Bird

This is a charming shade of blue. It has become a leader in its color and is now grown very largely by florists

in all parts of the country. Recommended for all seasons. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 30¢; oz. 55¢; 4 ozs. \$1.80; ½ lb. \$3.30; lb. \$6.00.

3396 True Blue This lovely variety is a fine shade of light violet-blue. The flowers are of great size, much waved, strong and vigorous in growth, and most floriferous. They are well placed in threes and fours. Does not grow out of bounds. Excellent for all seasons. Awarded Certificate of Merit. Pkt.  $15 \not\in$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz.  $25 \not\in$ ; oz.  $45 \not\in$ ; 4 ozs. \$1.50;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. \$2.75; lb. \$5.00.

3341 Mrs. Warren G. Harding A deep shade of silvery blue. The flowers are of immense size, with a broad and much frilled standard. Can be flowered at any season, but is especially recommended for the somewhat longer days of spring. Pkt. 15%;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 30%; oz. 55%; 4 ozs. \$1.80;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. \$3.30; lb. \$6.00.

### BICOLOR



### MAROON

3377 Maroon Prince This fine variety will appeal to those having a preference for the darker and richer colors. The blooms are a deep rich glowing reddish maroon. Maroon Prince is quite distinct and is a really unique color. A strong grower and most profuse bloomer. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 25¢; oz. 45¢; 4 ozs. \$1.50; ½ lb. \$2.75; lb. \$5.00.

### MIXTURES

3400 Sunrise Mixture This is a carefully composed blend of the finest of the many named varieties of Burpee's Early-Flowering Spencers. As with all our blends, we have taken care to determine the right proportion of the different colors to produce the most harmonious and pleasing effect for making mixed bouquets. Pkt.  $10 \, \epsilon$ ;  $1 \, 2$  oz.  $25 \, \epsilon$ ; oz.  $35 \, \epsilon$ ; 4 ozs.  $90 \, \epsilon$ ;  $1 \, 2$  lb. \$1.65; lb. \$3.00.

3401 Light Shades This Special Mixture contains only light shades, such as white, cream, pink, salmon, lavender, etc. Many of our customers who grow Sweet Peas in a limited way prefer to grow a mixture of these light shades because they find a ready sale for it. Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 25¢; oz. 35¢; 4 ozs. \$1.05; ½ lb. \$1.95; lb. \$3.50.

3333 Gilda Gray An exquisite Burpee introduction with a charm all its own. The standard is a lovely shade of salmon-cerise overlying a bright pink tint. The wings are rich Hermosa pink. Both of these colors harmonize very well and give a bunch effect of iridescent sparkling pink. The blooms of Gilda Gray are large and well formed. Both the standard and wings are well waved. Blooms freely and continuously with four flowers on a long graceful stem. Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 90¢; 4 ozs. \$3.00; ½ lb. \$5.50; lb. \$10.00.

3361 Fordhook Pink and White This is similar to the old Blanche Ferry, one of the great favorites for greenhouse culture, having a bright rosy pink standard with creamy white wings lightly suffused rose. A strong grower with four flowers to the stem. Recommended for both early and late cutting. Blooms very freely and continuously throughout the winter and spring. It is an old favorite everywhere. Pkt. 15¢; ½ 0z. 25¢; 0z. 45¢; 4 0zs. \$1.50; ½ 1b. \$2.75; 1b. \$5.00.

3398 Yarrawa The flowers average 2½ inches in diameter, and many of them are duplex or double. The color is a bright rose-pink with a clear creamy base. The long and strong stems carry usually four large blooms. Our stock of this popular Australian variety is absolutely true. Grown and re-selected on our FLORADALE FARMS from seed procured direct from the introducer. The flowers are best as the days lengthen. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 25¢; oz. 45¢; 4 ozs. \$1.50; ½ lb. \$2.75; lb. \$5.00.

3347 Columbia A remarkably fine variety, with immense heavy flowers borne in fours on long strong stems. The standard is a rich rose-pink and the wings a fine delicate creamy white. As soon as better known this will be one of the leading varieties. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 25¢; oz. 45¢; 4 ozs. \$1.50; ½ lb. \$2.75; lb. \$5.00.

### MAUVE & PURPLE

3367 Glorious Warm rosy purple. Most attractive in daylight, as well as under artificial illumination. The flowers are of great size, beautifully waved and fluted, and invariably produced in threes and fours on very long stems. Good at any season. Pkt.  $15 \not\in$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz.  $25 \not\in$ ; oz.  $45 \not\in$ ; 4 ozs. \$1.50;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. \$2.75; lb. \$5.00.

3380 Mauve Beauty The flowers are a pleasing shade of rosy mauve—a tint that is always much admired and lends itself to many striking color combinations. The elegant well-rounded flowers are of immense size, often measuring 2½ inches in diameter, yet exquisitely waved and of best form. Blooms freely at any season. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 25¢; oz. 45¢; 4 ozs. \$1.50; ½ 1b. \$2.75; 1b. \$5.00.

### STRIPED & FLAKED

3372 Harlequin Similar in every way to the summer flowering variety, Senator Spencer, but early flowering. Light Heliotrope ground, striped and flaked deep chocolate and claret. A vigorous grower, the immense flowers borne freely on long stems, usually in threes and fours. It is the most conspicuous of all the striped and flaked varieties. Pkt. 15¢; ½ 0z. 25¢; 0z. 45¢; 4 ozs. \$1.50; ½ 1b. \$2.75; 1b. \$5.00.

### The Best Late or Summer Flowering

# **Sweet Peas for Florists**

We recommend the Late or Summer Flowering Sweet Peas for general outdoor growing throughout the United States. From Maine to Florida, and west to the Pacific, gardeners are growing Burpee's Late or Summer Flowering Sweet Peas with great success.

**3416 Barbara** A superb salmon-colored self variety that makes a telling bunch. Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 20¢; oz. 30¢; 4 ozs. 75¢; ½ lb. \$1.40; lb. \$2.50.

#### 3475 Burpee's Giant

White Giant White is black-seeded and has been awarded two Certificates of Merit. Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 25¢; oz. 35¢; 4 ozs. \$1.05; ½ lb. \$1.95; lb. \$3.50.

3429 Charity The blooms are a brilliant crimson which does not burn in the bright sun. Pkt.  $10\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz.  $20\phi$ ; oz.  $30\phi$ ; 4 ozs.  $75\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. \$1.40; lb. \$2.50.

3439 Daisybud A harmonious combination of apple blossom tints with a cast of cream-pink. Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 20¢; oz. 30¢; 4 ozs. 75¢; ½ lb. \$1.40; lb. \$2.50.

3454 Floradale Fairy Improved The flowers are rich deep cream; of wax-like texture and very large. Pkt.  $10 \, \varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz.  $20 \, \varepsilon$ ; oz.  $30 \, \varepsilon$ ; 4 ozs.  $75 \, \varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. \$1.40; lb. \$2.50.

3457 Floradale Purple This is a warm rich shade of rosy purple. Large, wellformed, long stemmed blooms. Pkt.  $10 \, \varepsilon$ ; ½ oz.  $20 \, \varepsilon$ ; oz.  $30 \, \varepsilon$ ; 4 ozs.  $75 \, \varepsilon$ ; ½ lb. \$1.40; lb. \$2.50.

3465 Fordhook Orange This is unsurpassed in its color. Large flowers of a brilliant orange tint. It is almost sun-proof and flowers very freely. Pkt.  $15\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz.  $25\phi$ ; oz.  $40\phi$ ; 4 ozs. \$1.35;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. \$2.50; lb. \$4.50.

3469 George Shawyer The standard is a clear shade of bright orange-salmon and the wings are tinted with rose. Pkt.  $10\,\text{¢}$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz.  $25\,\text{¢}$ ; oz.  $35\,\text{¢}$ ; 4 ozs.  $90\,\text{¢}$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. \$1.65; lb. \$3.00.

3503 Hawlmark Salmon-Pink Rich deep pink with salmon and orange tints in the standard. Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 20¢; oz. 30¢; 4 ozs. 75¢; ½ lb. \$1.40; lb. \$2.50.

### 3499 Improved Margaret Atlee

This is an outstanding variety of a most popular color. The blooms are rich glowing rose-pink on cream ground with a cast of salmon-amber. Always greatly admired. Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 20¢; oz. 30¢; 4 ozs. 75¢; ½ lb. \$1.40; lb. \$2.50.



Improved

3486a Jack Cornwell

A very fine dark blue of enormous size. Pkt.  $10^{\circ}$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz.  $20^{\circ}$ ; oz.  $30^{\circ}$ ; 4 ozs.  $75^{\circ}$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. \$1.40; lb. \$2.50.

3555 King White Improved

Well-waved, glistening white. Of immense size. Pkt.  $10\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz.  $20\phi$ ; oz.  $30\phi$ ; 4 ozs.  $75\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. \$1.40; lb. \$2.50.

3531 Mammoth A blazing orange-scarlet. Awarded a Certificate of Merit. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 40¢; oz. 75¢; 4 ozs. \$2.40; ½ lb. \$4.40; lb. \$8.00.

3522 Mrs. C. P. Tomlin Bright scarlet with a touch of fiery

red. A magnificent variety. Pkt.  $10\xi$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz.  $20\xi$ ; oz.  $30\xi$ ; 4 ozs.  $75\xi$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. \$1.40; lb. \$2.50.

3529 Mrs. Tom Jones Bright Delphinium-blue; a popular and pleasing color. Flowers very large. Pkt.  $10\,$ ¢; 1/2 oz.  $20\,$ ¢; oz.  $30\,$ ¢; 4 ozs.  $75\,$ ¢; 1/2 lb. \$1.40; lb. \$2.50.

3540 Orchid Improved The color is a clear Cattleya lavender, the best of all lavender-pink Sweet Peas. Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 20¢; oz. 30¢; 4 ozs. 75¢; ½ lb. \$1.40; lb. \$2.50.

3548 Picture A blend of cream and pink shades, having a deeper flush on the wings. An effective color combination. Pkt.  $10 \, \dot{\varepsilon}_1$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz.  $20 \, \dot{\varepsilon}_1$ ; oz.  $30 \, \dot{\varepsilon}_1$ ; 4 ozs.  $75 \, \dot{\varepsilon}_1$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. \$1.40; lb. \$2.50.

**3570** Royal Scot A fiery deep cerise of vigorous habit. Pkt. 10%;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 20%; oz. 30%; 4 ozs. 75%;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. \$1.40; lb. \$2.50.

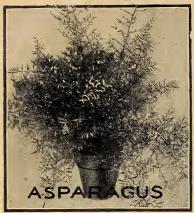
3574 Sparkler A charming combination of rose and cream. Pkt.  $10\,\%$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz.  $20\,\%$ ; oz.  $30\,\%$ ; 4 ozs.  $75\,\%$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. \$1.40; lb. \$2.50.

3577 Sunset Soft rich rose with a glowing yellow suffusion near the base. Pkt.  $10 \, \varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{2} \, \text{oz.}$   $25 \, \varepsilon$ ; oz.  $35 \, \varepsilon$ ; 4 ozs.  $90 \, \varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{2} \, \text{lb.}$  \$1.65; lb. \$3.00.

3595 Supreme This ranks among the best of the clear pink varieties. It is a soft and delicate color. Pkt.  $20 \, \varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz.  $50 \, \varepsilon$ ; oz.  $90 \, \varepsilon$ ; 4 ozs. \$3.00;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. \$5.50; lb. \$10.00.

3591 Warrior Rich reddish maroon flushed with bronze. Pkt.  $10\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz.  $25\phi$ ; oz.  $35\phi$ ; 4 ozs.  $90\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. \$1.65; lb. \$3.00.

### Asparagus

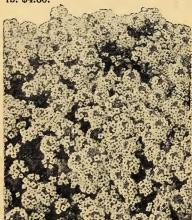


3902 Sprengeri (Emerald Feather) This is one of the most valuable and useful of florists' greens which always brings a high price during any season of the year. Always have a few plants of this on hand. 100 seeds 25¢; 300 seeds 65¢; 1000 seeds \$1.00; 5000 seeds \$4.50; 10,000 seeds \$8.00.

3900 Plumosus Nanus The finely divided Fern-like leaves are a rich deep green color. An excellent pot plant and used extensively for greens. Every florist, whether large or small, should grow plenty of these. 500 seeds \$1.50; 1000 seeds \$2.50; 5000 seeds \$10.00; 10,000 seeds \$17.50.

### Alyssum

1524 Little Gem Our strain of this excellent bedding and pot plant has been produced from carefully selected stock seed, and we know from comparative tests that it will produce neat, compact plants covered with fine small spikes of paper white blooms. Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 30¢; oz. 50¢; 4 ozs. \$1.45; lb. \$4.80.



Sweet Alyssum-Little Gem

### **Bedding Begonias**

1775 Luminosa A very free flowering bedding Begonia with large panicles of fiery dark scarlet flowers and lustrous bronzy brown foliage. Pkt. 35¢; 1/64 oz. \$1.00.

1783 **Erfordia** This belongs to the semperflorens type and has large trusses of bright rosy carmine flowers. It is very showy. Pkt.  $35 \notin$ ;  $\frac{1}{64}$  oz. \$1.00;  $\frac{1}{32}$  oz. \$1.55.

1776 **Gracilis Prima Donna** Rich rose-pink flowers. borne most profusely. Pkt. 20%;  $\frac{1}{64}$  oz. 80%;  $\frac{1}{32}$  oz. \$1.25,

1774 **Gracilis Alba** Rosy white flowers borne profusely on neat, compact plants having light green foliage. Pkt. 20¢; ½64 oz. 70¢; ½32 oz. \$1.05; ½16 oz. \$1.80.

1781 Semperflorens Alba Pure white flowers of crystalline texture, borne in large massive flowerheads. Pkt.  $10\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{64}$  oz.  $50\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{32}$  oz.  $75\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{16}$  oz. \$1.30.

1778 **Vernon** A showy bedding variety with deep red flowers and bronzy foliage. Pkt.  $10\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{64}$  oz.  $50\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{32}$  oz.  $75\phi$ .



1782 Fordhook Pink A most remarkable free flowering Bedding Begonia producing a mass of bright pink flowers. The handsome plants are of even height, compact, and bloom throughout the season. Pkt. 50¢.

1784 **Burpee's Special Mixture** All colors mixed. Pkt. 10¢; ¼<sub>4</sub> oz. 25¢; ¼<sub>32</sub> oz. 45¢; ¼<sub>6</sub> oz. 80¢.

### 2774 Blue Lace Flower



(Didiscus cœrulea) This beautiful easily grown Annual has become a great favorite for winter blooming. Its unusually bright flowers are always in good demand and their lace-like delicate appearance never fails to attract attention. Used as a cut flower, either alone or in combination with Sweet Peas, Freesias, or Lily-of-the-Valley, it always sells readily. Pkt. 10¢; ¼ oz. 50¢; oz. \$1.50.

# **Burpee's Calendulas**



### 1797 Ball's Orange

The seed we offer is our own growing of the famous Ball's Orange Calendula. It is produced on our Floradale Farms in California under the closest supervision of our farm manager, and we believe that the strain is unexcelled in every way. Florists who have grown this strain have discontinued using all others.

The flowers are of immense size and regular form. They are always fully double, never showing any open centers.

One of the outstanding characteristics of Ball's Calendula is the long stem upon which the flower is borne. This is of utmost importance to those who grow Calendulas in the greenhouse, because the flowers are so much more valuable for cutting purposes. Our selection shows up particularly well in this respect. The color of the blooms is a most intense and brilliant orange with a rich metallic gloss. We can most highly recommend this variety to every florist who wants the best obtainable.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.75; oz. \$3.00.

### 1802 Orange King

This seed has also been produced on our Floradale Farms in California and our strain, we believe, constitutes the highest development. In many ways Orange King is similar to Ball's Orange, but the flowers are not carried on as long stems. The plants are compact and well rounded. They produce a great mass of flowers. The individual blooms are large and remarkably double. They are regular in outline and always full to the very center. The color is a brilliant orange. Pkt. 10¢; ½ 0z. 25¢; oz. 40¢; 4 ozs. \$1.10.

#### 1800 Lemon Queen

Just why this color should not be in as great favor as the orange varieties of Giant Calendulas is difficult to understand. The flowers are of enormous size and excellent form. The petals are regularly arranged and the flowers never show any center if grown under good conditions. The color is a brilliant lemon-yellow. Pkt. 10¢; ½ 20. 25¢; oz. 40¢; 4 ozs. \$1.10.

### 1805 Mixed

This is a complete mixture of the best large-flowered Calendulas. In addition to the orange and lemon, there are such colors as sulphur-yellow touched with mahogany-brown, creamy yellow with the end of each petal tipped mahogany-brown, and white striped orange. Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 20¢; oz. 30¢; 4 ozs. 80¢.

### Candytuft



Giant Hyacinth-Flowered A very free flowering strain bearing large and massive trusses of pure white flowers. Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 30¢; oz. 50¢; 4 ozs. \$1.50.

1826 **Dark Crimson** This belongs to the umbellata type, making neat compact bushes which produce a great number of large, dark crimson trusses. Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 30¢; oz. 50¢; 4 ozs. \$1.50.

1829 Lilac Another umbellata variety in which the flowers are a fine bright lilac shade. Pkt. 10¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 30¢; oz. 50¢; 4 ozs. \$1.50.

1830 Umbellata, Mixed A complete mixture of all colors of this type. Excellent for cutting. Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 20¢; oz. 30¢; 4 ozs. 90¢.

### Calceolaria



3913 Hybrids Mixed

A most interesting and beautiful pot-plant, with many showy pocket-like flowers in various colors. Some flowers are spotted and tigered, others are self-colored in yellow or red. Makes a spectacular plant. Pkt. 30¢; ½28 oz. \$1.00.

### **Carnations**

3751 **Chabaud, White** Large pure white double flowers, borne profusely on long stems. Pkt. 20¢; ½ 0z. 45¢; ¼ 0z. 75¢.

3752 **Chabaud, Rose** The fully double, well rounded blooms are a bright rose shade. Pkt.  $20\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz.  $45\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz.  $75\phi$ .

3753 Chabaud, Scarlet A brilliant scarlet shade. Large, well formed, long-stemmed blooms. A most showy and appealing variety. Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 45¢; ¼ oz. 75¢.

3754 Chabaud, Crimson-Maroon This deep shade is always greatly admired. Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 45¢; ¼ oz. 75¢.

3756 Chabaud, Mixed A complete mixture of these free flowering Chabaud Carnations. Pkt. 20¢; ½ 0z. 45¢; ¼ 0z. 75¢.

3755 **Double Mixed** A fine strain with large flowers in many colors. Pkt. 20¢; ½ 0z. 45¢; ½ 0z. 75¢.

3757 Early Dwarf Vienna, Mixed Dwarf plants in many colors. Pkt. 20¢; ½8 oz. 45¢; ¼ oz. 75¢.

3915 Perpetual or Tree, Mixed Our special strain contains the best colors. Pkt. 20¢; ½ 0z. 45¢; ¼ 0z. 75¢.

# Centaurea Double Cornflower



1880 White The blooms are fully double and of a pure white color. They are borne most profusely on long and graceful stems. Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 25¢; oz. 40¢; 4 ozs. \$1.25.

1877 **Mauve** This is a rather unusual shade which never fails to attract attention. It is a clear and rich mauve tint. Pkt.  $10\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz.  $25\phi$ ; oz.  $40\phi$ ; 4 ozs. \$1.25.

1879 **Purple** This is the darkest of the Double Cornflowers. The large blooms are fully double and carried on fine long stems. Pkt.  $10\xi$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz.  $25\xi$ ; oz.  $40\xi$ ; 4 ozs. \$1.25.

1881 **Red** Our strain of this color is particularly fine. It is a rich rosy red of excellent brilliancy. Blooms freely and continuously. Pkt.  $10\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz.  $25\phi$ ; oz.  $40\phi$ ; 4 ozs. \$1.25.

1886 Rose We consider our strain the finest obtainable. It is a clear and distinctively colored rose. Always fully double. Pkt.  $10\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz.  $25\phi$ ; oz.  $40\phi$ ; 4 ozs. \$1.25.

1887 Blue This is the most popular shade of the Double Centaureas. We have taken particular care to select a rich true blue. Pkt.  $10\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz.  $25\phi$ ; oz.  $40\phi$ ; 4 ozs. \$1.25.

1885 **Double, Mixed** All the various colors offered above in mixture and a few others to give a complete color harmony. Pkt.  $10\xi$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz.  $25\xi$ ; oz.  $40\xi$ ; 4 ozs. \$1.25.



## Cyclamen

We are offering the famous Zehlendorf strain of Cyclamen, which represents the highest degree of perfection, in this wonderful flower. The plants are bushy, of strong growth, and wonderfully free blooming. The individual flowers, carried on long stems, are of immense size and artistic form.

3929 Rose of Marienthal See illustration above. A fine shade of rose overlaid with bright salmon. The blooms are large, well formed, and carried on long stems above the foliage. A foremost florist variety of great beauty. Pkt. (10 seeds) 30¢; 100 seeds \$1.50; 1000 seeds \$12.00.

3925 Bright Rose A beautiful clear bright rose flower of exceptionally fine form and immense size. A very fine color of the true Zehlendorf strain. Very free blooming. Pkt. (10 seeds) 30¢; 100 seeds \$1.50; 1000 seeds \$12.00.

3926 Glory of Wandsbek This is a most outstanding variety, with bright salmon-red flowers. It is a color that is always admired and brings good prices. Pkt. (10 seeds) 30¢; 100 seeds \$1.50; 1000 seeds \$12.00.

3927 Pearl of Zehlendorf A popular variety with bright salmon-pink flowers, excellent habit, and profuse blooming. Considered one of the best colors in Cyclamens. Pkt. (10 seeds) 30¢; 100 seeds \$1.50; 1000 seeds \$12.00.

3935 Giant White with Carmine Eye A large massive white flower with a rich carmine eye. The blooms practically cover the whole plant and stand out sharply from the deep green foliage. The true Zehlendorf strain. Pkt. (10 seeds) 30¢; 100 seeds \$1.50; 1000 seeds \$12.00.

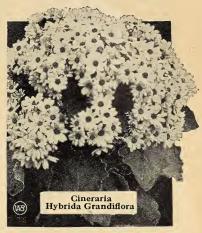
3930 Giant Pure White Pure white flowers of mammoth size. The plants make a magnificent growth. Pkt. (10 seeds) 30¢; 100 seeds \$1.50; 1000 seeds \$12.00.

3934 Giant Dark Blood-Red Rich deep ox-blood-red flowers. A most impressive flower of immense size. Pkt. (10 seeds) 30¢; 100 seeds \$1.50; 1000 seeds \$12.00.

3924 Large-Flowered Giganteum, Mixed. A large and free-flowering strain. It includes a wide range of beautiful colors. While of large size and fine habit, it does not compare in free-blooming habit and size of flowers with the named varieties of the Zehlendorf strain.

Pkt. (15 seeds) 25¢; 100 seeds \$1.25; 1000 seeds \$11.00.

### Cineraria



3920 Hybrida Grandiflora This large-flowered strain of Cineraria contains a wide range of beautiful colors properly blended for showy effect. Pkt. 35¢; ½28 oz. 85¢; ½44 oz. \$1.35.

3921 Multiflora Nana Dwarf compact plants practically covered by a mass of small showy blooms. It includes a wide range of colors. Pkt. 35¢; ½28 oz. 85¢; ½40 oz. \$1.35.

3917 Hybrida Grandiflora, Dwarf Mixed Dwarf compact plants, carrying large heads of mammoth size blooms. It includes all of the best colors in existence. Pkt. 35¢; ½28 oz. 85¢; ½64 oz. \$1.35.



A well-known plant used widely for the center of lawn vases and in porch boxes. No other plant will give the effect a Dracaena will in these places, nor can it be grown as cheaply. As a pot-plant, Dracaena finds a good market at good prices any time of the year. Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 25¢; oz. 40¢.



### Forget-Me-Not Myosotis

The Forget-Me-Nots may be grown either for spring blooming in beds or borders, or for producing pot plants during the winter. Always keep a few on hand for mixed bouquets.

2074 Semperflorens

This lovely Forget-Me-Not is of the ever-blooming type. The flowers are a bright sky blue shade. They are borne early and with the greatest profusion. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 70¢; ½ oz. \$1.20; oz. \$2.05.

2068 Palustris

This is the Marsh Forget-Me-Not, with its attractive bright blue flowers. Easily grown, profuse blooming, and very showy. This variety is perennial. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 70¢; ½ oz. \$1.20; oz. \$2.05.

2070 Alpestris Blue

Dwarf, free flowering bushes which are excellent for beds or borders. The light blue flowers form a sharp contrast to the rich green foliage. Blooms most profusely. Pkt. 10¢; 1/4 oz. 25¢; 1/2 oz. 40¢; oz. 70¢.

2071 Alpestris Rose

For bedding purposes this will make a fine show if combined with the blue and white Alpestris varieties. The color of the flowers is a fine shade of bright rose. Pkt. 10¢; 1/4 oz. 25¢; 1/2 oz. 40¢; oz. 70¢.

2072 Alpestris White

Pure white flowers produced on graceful stems and practically covering the plants. Blooms freely and continuously. Its compact habit makes it an excellent pot or bedding plant. Pkt. 10¢; ¼ oz. 25¢; ½ oz. 40¢; oz. 70¢.

### Gypsophila—Baby's Breath

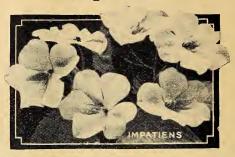
Free-flowering plants growing 10 to 15 inches tall. The slender-stemmed blooms are excellent for bunching with other flowers.

2091 Elegans, White The plants are covered with small, star-shaped, pure white flowers, carried gracefully on dainty stems. Blooms very profusely. Pkt.  $10 \ensuremath{\wp}$ ; oz.  $25 \ensuremath{\wp}$ ; 4 ozs.  $60 \ensuremath{\wp}$ ; lb. \$1.50.

2093 Elegans, Rose Similar to Elegans White, but the flowers are a fine shade of light rose. Easily grown and free blooming. Excellent for cutting. Pkt. 10¢; oz. 25¢; 4 ozs. 65¢; lb. \$1.75.



### **Impatiens**



#### 2117 Large Flowering Hybrids

Any one who grows plants for spring sales should plant plenty of Impatiens because there is always a lively demand from patrons for flowers that will do well in shady places where the general bedding plants do not thrive. There is no other annual as well suited for such locations as the "Touch-Me-Not." Our strain is particularly noteworthy because it includes a wonderful range of colors—white, flesh-pink, pink, rose, salmon, orange, carmine, crimson, and violet shades in mixture. Besides being a bedding plant, Impatiens will look well in pots or window boxes placed on the shady side of the house or for winter blooming indoors. It takes about three months to get the plants into full bloom from the time the seed is sown. Pkt. 20¢; ½32 oz. 50¢; ½6 oz. 85¢; ½8 oz. \$1.45.

### The Burpee Seed Farms

### Fordhook Farms — Pennsylvania Floradale Farms — California Sunnybrook Farm— New Jersey

The Burpee Seed Farms have been established for the sole purpose of providing American Gardeners with the "Best Seeds That Grow." Every one of the Burpee Farms contributes number of outstanding specialties which have won world-wide recognition. Fordhook Farms are also known as the "Largest Trial Grounds in America." Year after year thousands of tests are made side by side, so that we may be able to supply Burpee customers with seeds of known quality. Floradale Farms have been called the "California Home of Flowers."

**Annual Larkspur** 

The strains of Larkspur which we offer belong to the Tall Stock-Flowered type. This is the one in greatest demand on account of its majestic growth and free blooming character. The spikes grow approximately 30 inches tall, and they are closely set with double flowers.

2123 **Rose** A lovely and most popular shade of bright rich rose. The individual blooms are very large. They are well rounded, fully double, and closely set on fine long and strong stems. Makes a sturdy free-blooming plant. Pkt. 10¢; ¼ oz. 20¢; ½ oz. 35¢; oz. 60¢.

2125 **White** The fully rounded double flowers are closely set on the spike, making a solid mass of white. Blooms freely. Pkt. 10¢; ¼ oz. 20¢; ½ oz. 35¢; oz. 60¢.

2127 Sky-Blue Sky-Blue is the most popular color of all the Annual Larkspur, and our strain is particularly fine. Pkt. 10¢; ¼ oz. 20¢; ½ oz. 35¢; oz. 60¢.

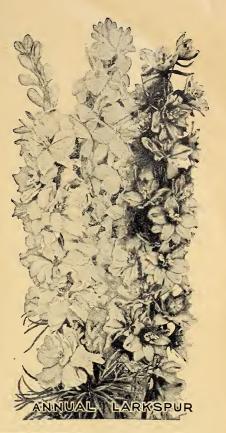
2136 Flesh-Pink The flowers are a delicate shade of clear rich pink. Blooms freely and continuously on long graceful spikes. Pkt. 10¢; ¼ oz. 20¢; ½ oz. 35¢; oz. 60¢.

2138 Lustrous Carmine Here is a comparatively new color which deserves particular attention because of its rich velvety tone. A magnificent and showy spike. Pkt.  $10\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz.  $35\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz.  $60\phi$ ; oz. \$1.00.

2139 Dark Blue A fine rich deep navy blue shade, much in demand for cutting. The spikes are very graceful. Pkt. 10¢; ¼ oz. 20¢; ½ oz. 35¢; oz. 60¢.

2140 Exquisite Truly an exquisite color—bright rich shining pink. The majestic spikes are solidly set with blooms. Pkt.  $15 \not\in$ ;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz.  $50 \not\in$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz.  $85 \not\in$ ; oz. \$1.45.

Mixed We have taken great care to include in this mixture the proper proportions of all colors. Pkt. 10¢; ¼ oz. 20¢; ½ oz. 35¢; oz. 60¢.



# Annual Lupines The Annual Lupines are extremely valuable to all florists.



Grown under glass the plants will produce particularly fine spikes which give excellent material for cutting during a season when there is comparatively little variety to be offered. For an early crop under glass the Annual Lupines are sown during September or October and the first spikes will be ready for cutting some time in March. New flower-shoots will form at the base to give a second crop a few weeks later. If flowers are wanted during May, sow the seed early in January.

2159 Large Blue The spikes measure fully 20 inches in length. They are strong yet graceful and carry a truss which gives a mass appearance of bright blue. Closer examination reveals that the flowers are tinted with carmine-purple. This is a most popular color. Pkt. 10¢; oz. 30¢; 4 ozs. 90¢.

2160 Large Rose A fine companion to the Large Blue variety with fully as tall and majestic spikes. The blooms are large and closely set on the stems. They are a bright shade of rose. Blooms freely and lasts a long time after cutting. This is a remarkably fine color. Pkt. 10¢; oz. 30¢; 4 ozs. 90¢.

2161 Large White There is always a great demand for white cut-flowers and the Large White Lupine will find many ready buyers because of its unusually showy appearance. The individual blooms are white and form a fine contrast to the bright green graceful foliage. Pkt. 10¢; oz. 30¢; 4 ozs. 90¢.

2162 **Mixed** This contains the proper proportions of the three colors listed. Those who have a call for mixed bouquets should choose this blend. Pkt.  $10 \, \phi$ ; oz.  $25 \, \phi$ ; 4 ozs.  $70 \, \phi$ .



### Mignonette

2226 White Pearl
This is the best white Mignonette we have ever seen. It
produces a large number of solid,
strong trusses. Pkt.  $10 \, \xi$ ;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz.  $35 \, \xi$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz.  $55 \, \xi$ ; oz.  $95 \, \xi$ .

#### 2218 Goliath

A giant variety with thick flowerspikes composed of coppery red florets. The tip of the spike is full and round. Pkt. 10¢; 1/4 oz. 35¢; 1/2 oz. 55¢; oz. 95¢.

#### 2229 Red Monster

Those who prefer a red Mignonette will like this variety. Excellent strong spikes borne most profusely. Pkt. 10¢; 1/4 oz. 25¢; 1/2 oz. 40¢; oz. 70¢.

#### 2213 Giant Machet

This has for many years been one of the leading varieties. Large fragrant flower trusses. Pkt.  $10\phi$ ; 1/4 oz.  $25\phi$ ; 1/2 oz.  $40\phi$ ; oz.  $70\phi$ .

#### 2217 Golden Sunset

A magnificent golden yellow variety with impressive spikes produced freely. Pkt. 10¢; ½ 0z. 25¢; ½ 0z. 40¢; 0z. 70¢.

2232 Fordhook Finest, **Mixed** This mixture comprises the five beautiful and showy varieties listed above. Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 25¢; ½ oz. 40¢; oz. 70¢.

### Chinese Primulas



3969 Alba Magnifica Our strain of this variety comprises vigorous compact plants. It has been selected for free blooming qualities and neat habit. The flowers are white with a bright yellow eye. Pkt. 30¢; ½28 oz. 90¢; ½40 oz. \$1.50; ½32 oz. \$2.30.

3971 Blue A beautiful shade of lavender-blue flowers borne in neat clusters on strong stout stems. This is one of the brightest and most free flowering of all Primulas. Compact free blooming plants. Pkt. 30¢; ½28 oz. 90¢; ½64 oz. \$1.50; ½32 oz. \$2.30.

3973 Crimson Velvet A very rich shade and one for which there is always a good demand. The color is most pleasing. Pkt.  $30 \, \sharp$ ;  $\frac{1}{128}$  oz.  $90 \, \sharp$ ;  $\frac{1}{64}$  oz. \$1.50;  $\frac{1}{32}$  oz. \$2.30.

3975 Rosy Morn The finely fringed flowers are bright carmine-rose. They are borne freely and make a wonderful show as pot plants. Pkt. 30%;  $\frac{1}{128}$  oz. 90%;  $\frac{1}{164}$  oz. \$1.50;  $\frac{1}{32}$  oz. \$2.30.

3977 **Bright Red** (*Coccinea*) Valued for its extreme showiness, particularly during winter, when brilliant red blooms are extremely scarce. We have an extra fine strain of this. Pkt. 30¢; ½28 oz. 90¢; ½44 oz. \$1.50; ½2 oz. \$2.30.

3984 Large Flowering Fringed, Mixed This is a mixture of the five large flowering fringed Chinese Primulas listed above. Pkt. 25¢; ½28 oz. 70¢; ½4 oz. \$1.15; ½3 oz. \$1.75.

3986 Filicifolia, Mixed This race of Chinese Primulas includes all the brilliant colors found in the regular strain described above but the foliage is distinctly Fern-leaved. Sturdy and free flowering. Pkt.  $25 \, e$ ;  $\frac{1}{128}$  oz.  $70 \, e$ ;  $\frac{1}{164}$  oz. \$1.15;  $\frac{1}{132}$  oz. \$1.75.

### Primula Obconica

3989 Gigantea Kermesina This has quickly gained great popularity with both growers and the buying public as no other Primula makes as fine a show. Large deep carmine flower-heads. Pkt.  $30 \not\in$ ;  $\frac{1}{128}$  oz.  $90 \not\in$ ;  $\frac{1}{64}$  oz. \$1.50;  $\frac{1}{32}$  oz. \$2.30.

3988 Large Flowered, Mixed A complete mixture of large flowering Obconica Primroses. Of compact well-rounded growth and with large showy flower-heads. The range of colors has been given particular attention in our strain. Pkt. 25¢; ½128 oz. 55¢; ½64 oz. 90¢; ½22 oz. \$1.35.

### 3987 Baby Primrose

(*Primula malacoides*) The bright lavender-pink blooms are borne freely and continuously, making this a most valuable pot plant. Also valuable as a cut-flower. A lovely plant always in demand. Pkt.  $25 \, \not \varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{128}$  oz.  $40 \, \not \varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{64}$  oz.  $65 \, \not \varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{32}$  oz. \$1.00.



### Schizanthus—Butterfly Flower

**2694 Wisetonensis** A showy, strong growing pot plant for winter or spring blooming covered with innumerable flowers, ranging in color from pure white through shades of cream and pink to crimson and mauve. Many of the flowers are beautifully marked with contrasting shades.

The plants may be had in full bloom from December until Memorial Day—grown under glass. Planted outdoors they will flower during the entire summer giving plenty of fine material for delicate bouquets. There is always a good sale for these if offered as pot plants. Pkt. 10¢; ½ 6 oz. 20¢; ½ oz. 35¢; ¼ oz. 55¢.

**Statice** 

2711 **Sinuata Blue** Showy bright blue flowers. Pkt.  $10\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz.  $20\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz.  $30\phi$ ; oz.  $50\phi$ .

2715 Sinuata Rose An excellent rose color. Pkt.  $10\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz.  $20\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz.  $30\phi$ ; oz.  $50\phi$ .

2710 **Bonduelli** Rich lemonyellow flowers. Pkt. 10¢; 1/4 oz. 20¢; 1/2 oz. 30¢; oz. 50¢.

**2712 Suworowii** Long rosy red spikes. Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 35¢; ½ oz. 65¢; oz. \$1.10.

## STOCKS—Mammoth Beauty of Nice

double white flowers. Sweet scented and excellent for cutting. Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 35¢; ½ oz. 55¢; ½ oz. 95¢.

2732 Monte Carlo An excellent bright canary-yellow variety. Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 35¢; ¼ oz. 55¢; ½ oz. 95¢.

**Part Beauty of Nice** Most popular shell-pink blooms. Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 35¢; ½ oz. 55¢; ½ oz. 95¢.

2738 Monaco This is a fine crimson of rare beauty. Pkt.  $10\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz.  $35\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz.  $55\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz.  $95\phi$ .

2740 Cote d'Azure A delicate light violet color. Free blooming with long and massive spikes. Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 35¢; ½ oz. 55¢; ½ oz. 95¢.

2741 Summernight Long spikes with rich dark violet blooms. An unusual but appealing color. Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 35¢; ¼ oz. 55¢; ½ oz. 95¢.

**2743 Beauty of Nice Mixture** All colors mixed. Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 35¢; ½ oz. 55¢; ½ oz. 95¢.

#### Large Flowering Dwarf Ten Weeks

2718 Pure White Pure clear white spikes. Fine double blooms. Pkt.  $10\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz.  $35\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz.  $55\phi$ .

2719 Canary-Yellow Bright canary-yellow flowers on long stems. Pkt.  $10\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz.  $35\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz.  $55\phi$ .

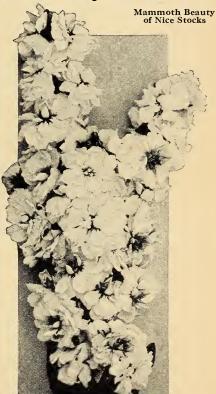
**2721 Bright Pink** An excellent showy bright pink variety. Pkt. 10¢; ½ 0z. 35¢; ¼ 0z. 55¢; ½ 0z. 95¢.

**2723 Blood-Red** Long spikes set with deep red blooms. Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 35¢; ½ oz. 55¢; ½ oz. 95¢.

2725 **Light Blue** A fine sky-blue tint in solid spikes. Pkt.  $10\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz.  $35\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz.  $55\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz.  $95\phi$ .

2727 **Purple** Deep rich velvety purple blooms. Free flowering. Pkt.  $10 \, \mbox{$\xi$}$ ;  $\frac{1}{8} \, \mbox{$oz.}$   $35 \, \mbox{$\xi$}$ ;  $\frac{1}{2} \, \mbox{$oz.}$   $95 \, \mbox{$\xi$}$ .

2730 **Ten Weeks, Mixed** A complete mixture of all the fine and showy colors described above. Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 35¢; ¼ oz. 55¢; ½ oz. 95¢.



2744 Princess Alice, or Cut and Come Again This makes an excellent cut flower with long graceful spikes of large double pure white blooms. Flowers freely. Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 35¢; ¼ oz. 55¢.

# **New Giant Snapdragons**

These new Giant Snapdragons are a most outstanding improvement achieved within late years. They are an entirely new type of remarkable beauty and it is no wonder that they have quickly gained world-wide recognition. We were one of the first American houses to recognize the immense value of these and have been selecting our own stocks for many years. The plants are by far the tallest of any Snapdragons in existence. They grow 3 to 4 feet tall outdoors but will reach 5 to 6 feet if grown under glass. Each spike is closely set with large, well-formed flowers. The range of colors in this new type is particularly noteworthy.

1721 Canary Bird

This is a wonderful variety. The flowers are bright canary-yellow touched with golden yellow on the lip. Canary Bird is a free and continuous bloomer containing all the wonderful characteristics by which this class is identified. Pkt. 15¢; ½6 oz. 40¢; ¼ oz. \$1.10; oz. \$3.25.

1699 Carmine-Rose

This is one of the brightest shades found in the class of Giant Snapdragons. The color of the individual blooms is bright shining carmine with a touch of yellow on the lip. Pkt. 15¢; ½160z.40¢; ¼0z.\$1.10; oz.\$3.25.

#### 1714 Crusader

A most unusual color—one that has gained immense popularity with flower lovers because of its quiet yet pleasing tone. It is a bright reddish maroon with a cast of brilliant crimson. Without question, it is one of the best. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 40¢; ¼ oz. \$1.10; oz. \$3.25.

1715 Fordhook Rose

The color of this beautiful variety is a combination of rose, pink, and yellow delightfully blended into a charming color harmony. The large flowers are borne profusely on stout stems of great length. They are excellent for cutting, lasting a long time in water. Pkt. 15¢; ½60z. 40¢; ¼0z. \$1.10; oz. \$3.25.

1712 **Maralda** For color contrast Maralda is one of the finest. The mammoth blooms are well formed. They are a glowing copper-carmine shade brightened by a touch of golden yellow on the upper lip. An excellent long-stemmed flower. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 40¢; ¼ oz. \$1.10; oz. \$3.25.

1713 **Orchid** Orchid has proven to be extremely popular because of its refined and quiet color—a beautiful mauve-pink not unlike the shade of a Cattleya Orchid. The tube is a somewhat darker mauve shade. Very beautiful. Pkt. 15¢; ½6 oz. 40¢; ¼ oz. \$1.10; oz. \$3.25.

1702 **Ruby** This is a distinct shade of deep ruby-red. While quite dark it has a glow all its own. The texture of the flower is velvety. The tube is shaded deep purple-carmine. Pkt.  $15\dot{\xi}$ ;  $\frac{1}{16}$  oz.  $40\dot{\xi}$ ;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.10; oz. \$3.25.



1716 Snowflake

Every florist knows the value of white flowers at any season of the year and Snowflake, with its warm creamy white blooms, carries just enough yellow on the tip of the lip to relieve any coldness, Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 40¢; ½ oz. \$1.10; oz. \$3.25.

1701 Sunnybrook

The combination of colors found in this variety defies description by words. The blooms are deep golden yellow shaded with glistening salmon and light orange. The solid spikes appear like a mass of gold. Pkt. 15¢; ½6 oz. 40¢; ¼ oz. \$1.10; oz. \$3.25.

1717 Sunshine

The yellow varieties of Snapdragons have always been very popular, and Sunshine is the best yellow in the Giant class. The flowers are a bright and rich cadmium-yellow with just a touch of pink on the lip. Pkt.15¢; \(^1/6\) oz. 40¢; \(^1/4\) oz. \$1.10; oz. \$3.25.

1723 Superb

A pleasing combination of soft yellow delicately suffused with bright chamois-rose. This is one of the newest varieties and we feel sure that as it will become better known it will be one of the most favorite varieties for cutting. Pkt. 15¢; 1/16 oz. 40¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.10; oz. \$3.25.

1718 Wallflower The rich deep coppery crimson color of the blooms resembles certain shades which are found among Wallflowers. This has always been a great favorite ever since it was introduced. Massive spikes of great length. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 40¢; ½ oz. \$1.10; oz. \$3.25.

1704 Wildfire A glowing shade of bright scarlet with a white tube which helps to bring out the richness of the color. Massive spikes solidly set with large individual blooms. Wildfire looks particularly fine in large bunches. Pkt.  $15 \, \sharp$ ;  $1_{16}$  oz.  $40 \, \sharp$ ;  $1_{4}$  oz. \$1.10; oz. \$3.25.

1719 **Giant Mixed** This mixture includes all the colors we have offered on this page and a few others to give additional variety to color scheme. Pkt.  $15\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{16}$  oz.  $35\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz.  $95\phi$ ; oz. \$2.85.

### Half-Dwarf Snapdragons

The Half-Dwarf type of Snapdragons is grown more widely than all other types combined. It is well adapted for beds or borders and the flower-spikes are long enough for cutting. The plants are free growing and profuse flowering. Raised in the greenhouse for winter blooming, they grow somewhat taller than outdoors, so that flower-stems measuring 18 inches or more in length are about the average. We have for many years selected our varieties, and, judging from the large number of Snapdragon specialists who secure their seeds from us, we believe that our strains are exceptionally fine. The comparative trials made each year at Fordhook insure the quality of our stock.

#### 1538 Nelrose

A magnificent variety of strong compact growth, producing a profusion of fine long-stemmed flowers. Nelrose seems to be particularly popular with both growers and the buying public. It is a comparatively new variety which has supplanted most of the older pinks. The color of the blooms is a rich silvery pink, free from any by-tones, but clear and decisive. The individual blooms are large and well-formed. They are closely set on fine long stems 18 to 24 inches in length. We have taken particular care to get our strain absolutely uniform in every way and do not hesitate to recommend it to all who appreciate uniformity in color, habit, and free blooming character. The seed has been grown on our FLORADALE FARMS in the Lompoc Valley, California. Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 35¢; ¼ oz. 95¢; oz. \$2.85.

1517 Climax A truly lovely flower of a rich orange shade with a contrasting golden yellow lip. Wellformed and large flowers closely set on fine long stems. Pkt. 15¢; ½16 oz. 45¢; ½4 oz. \$1.25; oz. \$3.70.

1515 Empress The spikes are a solid mass of rich velvety maroon, contrasting sharply with the green foliage. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 45¢; ½ oz. \$1.25; oz. \$3.70.

1516 Enchantress A free flowering variety of recent introduction with long handsome spikes closely set from top to bottom with almondblossom-pink flowers. Pkt. 15¢; ½/16 oz. 45¢; ½/4 oz. \$1.25; oz. \$3.70.

1708 **Fascination** A delicate light rose-pink flower with a touch of light lemon-yellow on the lip. Truly a fascinating variety of compact growth, bearing a profusion of large massive spikes. Pkt. 15¢; ½ 6 oz. 45¢; ¼ oz. \$1.25; oz. \$3.70.

1518 **Gloria** This is an outstanding large-flowered variety of neat compact growth. The spikes are closely set from top to bottom with deep rose blooms. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.95; oz. \$5.85.

1519 Golden Monarch

There is always a good demand for yellow Snapdragons and we consider Golden Monarch one of the best in the Half-Dwarf class. The color is intense golden yellow. Pkt. 15¢; ½16 oz. 45¢; ½4 oz. \$1.25; oz. \$3.70.

### 1540 Philadelphia Pink

We are placing Philadelphia Pink ahead of the other varieties listed below because florists have shown particular interest in it. The demand for our seed of this variety has steadily increased by leaps and bounds, which seems to indicate that the variety is becoming extremely popular and that our strain pleases those who have bought it. We consider Philadelphia Pink ranking among the very best of the Half-Dwarf Snapdragons. The massive spikes are particularly outstanding. They are closely set with large well-formed blooms of a rich silvery pink shade. The seed has been selected to produce plants of uniform height and bushy growth. Philadelphia Pink is outstanding as it is one of the heaviest croppers of all Half-Dwarf Snapdragons in existence. Pkt. 15¢; ½ 02. 45¢; ¼ 02. \$1.25; 0z. \$3.70.

1544 **Purity** It is needless to stress the importance of this excellent pure white Snapdragon as there is always a strong demand for white flowers at any time of the year. No other white Snapdragon can compare with it in purity. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. \$1.25; oz. \$3.70.

1534 **Shell-Pink** Those who have a preference for the lighter and more delicate shades will find Shell-Pink particularly to their taste. It is a glorious free blooming variety with large well-formed flowers of a soft delicate shell-pink tint. Pkt. 10¢; 1/16 oz. 35¢; 1/4 oz. 95¢; oz. \$2.85.

1709 **Silver-Pink** This is another popular variety with bright silver-pink blooms. It is of recent introduction and embodies free flowering habit with compact growth. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 45¢; ½ oz. \$1.25; oz. \$3.70.

1539 Victory Victory may be called a typical autumn shade—a bright terra-cotta shade tinted with glistening orange and still more enlivened by a golden yellow lip. Always blooms freely. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. \$1.25; oz. \$3.70.

1549 Half-Dwarf Mixed

We have made a special effort to offer a particularly fine mixture of the Half-Dwarf Snapdragons and have therefore included in it only the better varieties. Pkt. 10¢; ½6 oz. 25¢; ¼ oz. 65¢; oz. \$1.90.



### PERENNIAL FLOWER SEEDS

Perennials have once more become great favorites. Florists who have space to grow young plants find that they can make an especially good profit from raising plants for spring sales. Such popular perennials as Campanula, Delphinium, Hollyhocks, and Sweet William always find a ready market and, in fact, others not as well known will be eagerly bought by the public.

Then, again, plants left over from the spring sales may be grown on to provide cutflowers during spring, summer, and fall. Summer and early fall are the best time to start perennials from seed. The list given below and on the next page covers all the important classes. The seed offered is of the usual high Burpee quality.

- ½ oz. ¼ o	z. ½ oz.
3702 Achillea ptarmica fl. pl. White	
(The Pearl)( $\frac{1}{16}$ oz. $45\cancel{e}$ )\$0 75 \$1 3	0 —
3706 Alyssum saxatile compactum	
(Gold Dust)(Oz. 55¢) — 2	0 \$0 35
3708 Ampelopsis (tricuspidata)	
Veitchii (Boston Ivy) (Oz. 40¢) — -	- 25
	0 35

### Aquilegia

These are classed as leaders in perennials. In addition to making salable plants for the spring trade, they provide an especially fine class of cut-flowers during the spring and early summer. The flowers are graceful and look best if sold with their own Fern-like foliage. The plants are perfectly hardy and free flowering.



#### 3716 Long-Spurred Hybrids

The seed we offer is the famous Burpee strain which is well known for its remarkable range of showy colors and extra large size.  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz.  $35 \notin$ ;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz.  $60 \notin$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. \$1.00.

#### 3715 Pink Shades

This is another famous Burpee strain with beautiful large pink flowers borne profusely on fine long stems. Specially selected Floradale-grown seed. It is an extra fine strain.  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz.  $35 \frac{1}{5}$ ;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz.  $60 \frac{1}{5}$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. \$1.00.

3714	CœruleaSkinneri	.\$0 40	\$0 65	\$1 10
3718		. 50	85	1 50
	Arabis			

A free flowering bedding perennial literally covered with white flowers during April and early May.

½ oz. ¼ oz. ½ oz. 3720 Arabis alpina.....(Oz. 50¢) — — \$0 30

### Bellis perennis

Bellis, or English Daisy, takes its place of importance together with Pansies and Forget-me-nots. Properly grown, the plants can be offered for sale while in full bloom. They do best if sown during August, transplanted into a cold frame three inches apart and left there until they begin flowering next March. The most important point with Bellis is the use of a first-class strain. The seed offered below has been selected from the finest and largest double-flowering plants.

3725 3726	Longfellow. \$0 Snowball. Fine Double, Mixed Double Quilled, Mixed.	40 40 35 35	70 55	\$1 15 1 15 95 1 00
	$\begin{array}{cccc} \textbf{Bocconia} & cordata & (Plume \\ Poppy) & (Oz. 50¢) \\ \textbf{Calliopsis} & grandiflora \\ (Coreopsis) & (Oz. 55¢) \\ \end{array}$	_ _,	 20	30 35

### Campanula

BELLFLOWERS, as Campanulas are usually called, never fail to strike the popular fancy. Their advantage to the florist consists in the fact that they can be flowered without a greenhouse. Their showy appearance during June and their hardiness insure them a place with many gardeners.



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1/8	oz.	¼ oz.	½ oz.
3733 Medium, Single Mixed \$0	15	\$0 20	\$0 35
3734 " Double Mixed	15	20	35
3735 " Calycanthema, Blue	30	50	85
3737 " Calycanthema, Rose.	30	50	85
3739 " Calycanthema, White	30	50	85
3741 " Calycanthema, Mixed	25	45	75
3743 Carpatica, Blue	25	45	75
3744 " White	25	45	75
3746 Persicifolia Mixed	55	95	1 65
3747 Pyramidalis, Blue	25	35	65
2011 I yramidans, Dide	25	35	65
3745 " White	23	33	03
3763 Centaurea montana (Peren-			
nial Cornflowers)(Oz. 70¢)	_	25	40
3767 Cerastium tomentosum (Snow-		20	10
	25	45	75
in-Summer)	23	35	65
	_	33	03
3764 Chelone (Pentstemon) barbata			
Toreyi (Shell Flower)	~=	4.5	7.5
(½ oz. 15¢)	25	45	75
3856 Chinese Lantern Plant (Phy-			
salis Franchetti)	20	30	50
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### Chrysanthemum

Our strain of FORDHOOK EARLY CHRYSANTHEMUM embraces a wide range of fine colors. The flowers are of good size, and the plants present a mass of blooms during the fall. Here is an easily grown perennial that may be left out-of-doors until the arrival of cold weather. Set into the greenhouse, the plants will quickly come into bloom and furnish a mass of cut-flowers that will bring a good price.

1/16 oz. 1/8 oz. 1/4 oz.

3750 Fordhook Early Single-Flowering Perennial, Mixed

(½ oz. 50¢) \$0 90 \$1 55

### Delphinium .

During Delphinium blooming time, there is hardly any florist who ever has enough of these stately spikes to supply the cut-flower trade. Delphiniums are hardy and on account of their long blooming period and easy culture, they occupy a place ahead of even Peonies and Phlox.



Delphinium Belladonna

#### 3774 Belladonna

We are very proud of our strain of Belladonna Delphinium, as we believe it surpasses anything that has been seen of this variety heretofore. Many of our customers who have tested it were delighted with its uniformity and trueness to type. The plants produce extra long spikes, solidly set with bright light blue double blooms. The seed produces more plants true to type than any other we have ever tested. 1/16 oz. 35¢; 1/8 oz. 60¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.00; oz. \$3.00.

#### 3780 Bellamosum

This is another great Burpee specialty, producing plants of uniform height and even coloring. The long, graceful stems are a mass of rich dark blue flowers forming a solid spike. 1/16 oz. 35¢; 1/6 oz. 60¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.00; oz. \$3.00.

3772 Belladonna Seedlings

These Floradale-grown seedlings embrace all the colors from the lightest blue to the deepest blue-purple. They have been selected for freedom of bloom, range of color, and massiveness of spikes.  $\frac{1}{16}$  oz.  $35 \, \frac{6}{5} \, \frac{1}{8}$  oz.  $30 \, \frac{6}{5} \, \frac{1}{4} \, \frac{1}{6}$  oz.  $35 \, \frac{6}{5} \, \frac{1}{6} \, \frac$ 



#### Dianthus

	1,6	oz.	1/4 oz.	1/2 07.
3783	Plumarius (Pheasant-Eye Pink) \$0	25	\$0 35	\$0 55
		25	40	70

### Digitalis—Foxglove

DIGITALIS, or Foxglove, as it is commonly known, is a biennial of handsome appearance, particularly when planted in groups. Florists who sell perennial plants to their trade will find a ready demand for the young plants. Those left over will provide most attractive long spikes for cutting.



3787 Fine Mixed\$0	25 \$0 35	\$0 60
	25 35	60
3786 Yellow	25 35	60
	25 35	60
3790 Purple	25 35	60
1/16	oz. 1/8 oz.	1/4 oz.
3797 Erigeron speciosus superbus\$0	35 \$0 55	\$0 95
3805 Gaillardia aristata grandiflora		
(Perennial) $(\frac{1}{2} \text{ oz. } 55 \text{ ¢})$	<b>—</b> 25	35
3806 Geum coccineum,		
	40 65	1 10
3804 " Lady Stratheden	30 50	90

1/8 oz. 1/4 oz. 1/2 oz.

#### Gypsophila

The Perennial Gypsophila or Baby's Breath is of utmost importance to every florist. There is always a lack of small decorative flowers for bouquets. If seeds are sown in January, the plants will bloom the first year but only in a limited way. Beginning with the second year they will bear a profusion of small slender-stemmed white blooms of airy and graceful appearance.

		oz.	1/8 oz.	1/4	oz.
3799	Paniculata fl. pl. (Double Perennial Baby's Breath) \$0	35	\$0 60	\$1	00
3807	Paniculata (Perennial Baby's Breath)(½ oz. 30c; oz. 50c)		_		20
3809	Helenium autumnale superbum Helianthemum mutabile (Sun	25	40		65
	Rose)	20 50	30 90	1	50 55

#### **Hibiscus**

HIBISCUS is also known under the name of Rose of Sharon. In sections where the winters are not too severe it will make fine strong plants covered with large single flowers in many beautiful colors. The plants bear a profusion of blooms throughout the summer and give a wonderful effect if planted in mixed borders.

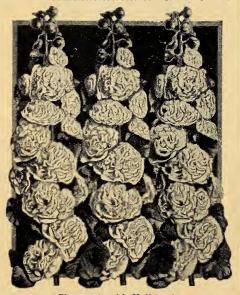
3812 Giant Mallow Marvels. 1/8 oz.25¢; 1/4 oz.35¢; 1/2 oz.55¢.

### Hollyhocks

(Althea rosea)

HOLLYHOCKS are an essential to the old-fashioned garden, giving a display which is not equalled by any other perennial. Young plants can be readily disposed of at good prices either in spring or fall, to be planted in the perennial borders of your customers. In addition to this, there should be grown a number of plants to provide cut-flowers where material for large, showy decorations is wanted.

				1/8 oz.	1/4 oz.	½ oz.
3814	Chater's	Double,	Light Pink	\$0 25	\$0 45	\$0 75
3815	44	**	Maroon	25	45	75
3816	44	44	Rose	25	45	75
3817	44	**	Scarlet	25	45	75
3818	44	**	Yellow	25	45	75
3819	**	**	White	25	45	75
3820	41	44	Salmon-Pink.	25	45	75
3822	"	44	Mixed	25	40	70
3823	**	44	Crimson		45	75
3826	Alleghen	v. Mixed	l	15	25	45
3813					35	60
3827				25	35	60
3825	" C	rimson			35	60
3828	" M	ixed		15	25	45



Chater's Double Hollyhocks

### 3840 Lilium regale

Much has been written within late years about growing Lilium regale from seed. All this literature has pointed out how easy it is to produce this excellent Lily within two or three years from the time seed is planted. It has been kept over winter successfully even where the weather is quite severe

The Regal Lily is a wonderful variety, combining hardiness with size and beauty. The individual blooms measure 4 to 6 inches across and they are borne in clusters. The flowers are blush-white shading to canary-yellow in the throat.  $\frac{1}{16}$  oz. 50¢;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 85¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.45;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. \$2.50.

3841 Linum perenne sibiricum (Blue Perennial Flax)...¼ oz. 25¢; ½ oz. 40¢.

### Lathyrus latifolius

The Perennial Sweet Pea, perhaps as well known under the name of Lathyrus latifolius, deserves the attention of all enterprising florists. Particularly where large plantings are to be made by those who also take care of landscape work, a supply of these plants will come in very handy. They are valuable for planting in out of the way places and to cover stumps and rockeries. The plants are perfectly hardy, and may be sold, whether in the spring or in the fall, for planting in the perennial border.

	1/4	oz.	1/2 oz.	Oz.
3833	Pink Beauty\$0	25	\$0 45	\$0 75
3835	Red or Purple	25	45	75
	Giant White Pearl	25	45	75
	Mixed	20	35	60

### Lupinus

These perennial LUPINES can be depended upon to bloom during late June from seeds sown during June of the previous year. They are not easily transplanted and should be sown where the plants are to bloom.



Perennial Lupine

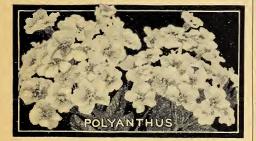
			1/4 OZ.	1/2 OZ.	UZ.
3844	Polyphylli	is, White	\$0 20	\$0 30	\$0 50
38442		Rose		30	50
3845	44	Blue		30	50
3846	44	Moerheimi		55	95
			1/8 oz.	1/4 oz.	1/2 oz.
3853	Lychnis c	halcedonica, Scarlet	\$0 20	\$0 30	\$0 50
3846a	"	viscaria splendens	. 20	30	50
		roseum(1/16 oz. 45¢)		_	
3854	Pentstem	on, Large Flowered	,		
	Floradal	e Fancy Strain, Mixe	d		
		(½ oz. 20¢)		50	_
3856		Franchetii (Chinese			
	Lantern	Plant)	. 20	30	50

#### Papaver—Perennial Poppies

Few perennials make as fine a show as the Perennial Poppies. Both the mixture and the Oriental Poppies make a tall growth and bear enormous flowers during the summer. The Iceland Poppy is a smaller-flowered perennial, growing about eighteen inches tall. It is grown widely for cut-flowers and for perennial borders on account of its fine rich yellow and orange shades.



3847 Mixed Perennial Poppies 3851 Orientale (Oriental Poppy) 3849 Nudicaule, Mixed (Iceland	. \$0 25	\$0 40 40	\$0 70 70
Poppy)		40	70
	/16 OZ.	½ oz.	1/4 oz.
3857 Platycodon grandiflorum		, 0	
Mariesii, Dwarf Blue	.\$0 20	\$0.30	\$0.50
3732 Plume Poppy (Bocconia cordat			-
(½ oz. 40¢; oz. 70¢	) —	_	25
3857 Platycodon grandiflorum Mariesii, Dwarf Blue 3732 Plume Poppy (Bocconia cordat	.\$0 20 ta)	, 0	\$0 50



### Polyanthus

3859 Large Flowering, Mixed The Polyanthus are Primulas of the greatest importance. They are hardy and will live over the winter in the open provided they are planted somewhere where they are protected against severe winter winds. They bloom profusely during the early spring and may be grown indoors under the same conditions as Violets. Success with Polyanthus depends on growing them cool and shady. Our strain embraces a wide range of bright and showy colors.

1/16 0z. 50¢; 1/2 0z. 85¢; 1/4 0z. \$1.45.

### Primula

Both the Auricula and Vulgaris Primulas are excellent border plants. They are quite hardy but unfortunately Auricula is not hardy enough to withstand the winters in most localities except when kept in frames. They are also somewhat susceptible to extremely hot weather. Primula Vulgaris is perfectly hardy and will make a wonderful showing after it has become established. Also fine as pot plants.

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		1/16	oz.	1/8	oz.	1/4	oz.
3861	Auricula	\$0	40	\$0	65	\$1	10
$3865^{\circ}$	Vulgaris		50		85	1	45

#### Pyrethrum

The Golden Feather is a popular dwarf yellow border plant with attractive Fern-like foliage. Roseum is a strain of Hybrids popularly called "Colored Daisy." It flowers freely during June and gives excellent cutting material. There is a demand for plants of these, both during fall and early spring, and what you have left over may be grown on for cutting.

3868	Parthenium aureum	1/8	oz.	1/4	oz.	1/2	)Z.	
	(Golden Feather)	. \$0	30	\$0	50	\$0	85	
3870	Roseum,		30		50		85	
3872	Rocket, Sweet, Mixed (Hesper matronalis) (Oz. 50e		_		20		30	

#### Rudbeckia

Easily grown, very showy annuals which will bloom freely the second year after sowing. Speciosa has large yellow blooms and Purpurea has deep purple flowers from which it received its popular name, Giant Purple Cone Flower.

		8 oz.	1/4 oz.	
3874	Speciosa (Newmannii)	80 35	\$0 60	\$1 00
	Purpurea		60	1 00
3875	Saponaria ocymoides	20	30	50
	Scabiosa Caucasica, Lilac	:		
	(Perennial)	30	50	85
3767	Snow-in-Summer (Cerastium			
	tomentosum)		50	85
3879	Statice (Limonium) latifolia	35	55	95
	Stocks, Emperor, or Perpetual.	40	65	1 10
3882	Stokesia cyanea, Blue	. 25	40	70

### **Sweet William**

#### Dianthus barbatus

Here is a plant which sells as readily in the spring as any other perennial in existence. The ease of culture and the freedom of bloom appeal to the home gardener so that seldom enough plants are at hand to supply the demand. Seeds sown in July and August, and transplanted later on so that the plants will have six inches of space each way, will flower during the following May and June.



	**	oz.	74 UZ.	72 UL.	
3884	Perfection Single, Mixed\$0	15	\$0 20	\$0.30	
	Pink Beauty	25	40	70	
	Scarlet Beauty	25	40	70	
	Double, Mixed	25	35	60	
300N	Double, Mixed	23	55	00	
9009	Tritoma, Early Hybrid	25	45		
		23	43	_	
3898	Valerian (Centranthus), Red	~=	40		
	(coccinea)	25	40	_	
3899	Valerian (Centranthus), White	25	40		
	1/		16.07	1/4 OZ.	
			1/8 oz.		
3893a	Veronica spicata, Mixed\$0	20	\$0 35	\$0 60	
3896	Viola cornuta, Finest Mixed				
0000	(Tufted Pansies)	25	45	_	
3894	Wallflower, Fine Double	25	40		
	Wallflower, Extra-Early Paris-	23	10	_	
3097		0=	40		
	ian	25	40		

## **BURPEE'S PANSIES**

Pansies have always been a great Burpee specialty and neither time nor money has been spared to offer to American gardeners the very best that can be had in this popular flower. Florists, both large and small, realize how important this crop has become with them and those who start with good seeds are usually well rewarded for their labor.

### 2457 Trimardeau or Giant Mixed



Here is a mixture of Giant Pansies which for years has been considered of outstanding value. It embodies the various varieties of Giant Pansies offered in separate colors on the next page. It also includes other largeflowered strains with flowers both in self colors blotched on the three lower or on all five petals. flowers are always of large size. They are well rounded and carried on fine long stems. Every shade known in Pansies is included in this wonderful mixture. It will serve well for bedding and is grown extensively for the trade which wants large and substantial Pansies but does not want to pay the high prices of the Burpee Blend, Steele's Mastodon, and others.

Pkt. 10¢;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 30¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 50¢; oz. \$1.50.

The **Burpee Blend of Giant Fancy Pansies**, which we consider the best strain of Pansies in existence, is described and illustrated on the back cover of this catalog.

2463 Giant Ruffled Masterpiece

The truly giant size flowers of Masterpiece are particularly attractive because they contain so much substance that they are gracefully waved and fluted, particularly on the edges. This almost gives the appearance of a double flower. The colors are mainly rich dark shades, bordered, blotched, or marked in ray-like veins with contrasting colors. Masterpiece is a free blooming and carefully selected strain with fine long-stemmed flowers, admirably adapted for cutting, but just as useful for bedding purposes. Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 45¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$2.15.

2461 Bugnot

This is a large-flowering strain comprising a wide range of beautiful colors. Each petal of the flower has a large dark blotch and the color from this blotch radiates towards the margin of the petals. This gives a diffused effect to the color design of the flowers and adds to their apparent size. The texture of the petals is thick and heavy and is in keeping with the velvety finish of the blooms. Bugnot is a sturdy grower and profuse bloomer. It is always greatly admired. Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 45¢; ¼ oz. 75¢; oz. \$2.15.

2500 Steele's Mastodon

Greenhouse Special Mixture (O. K. Outside) Here is a Pansy which has quickly gained wide popularity and favor. The blooms are truly immense. They are well shaped, of thick texture, and have beautifully waved edges. This includes everything from pure white to deep mahogany. The very fine lavender, rose, cerise, and light porcelain blue shades deserve special mention. A mixture particularly fine for the greenhouse or for growing in frames, but just as good for growing in the open. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.15; ¼ oz. \$1.95; oz. \$6.00.

#### 2417 Orchid Flowered

This variety has large well-rounded blooms of somewhat smaller size than the others listed on this page, yet it deserves particular attention because of the exceptionally fine range of colors found in it. Orchid Flowered received its name because of the Orchid-like coloring of its blooms. There are some lovely shades of blue and lavender, also citron-yellow, pinks, and mauves. The individual flowers have attractively ruffled edges and they are borne on long stems.

Pkt. 10%;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 45%;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 75%; oz. \$2.15.

2422 Cardinal Bright cardinal-red flowers shaded mahogany and a blackish maroon blotch in the center. A fine variety. Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 45¢; ¼ oz. 75¢; oz. \$2.15.

2424 Fire King Deep mahogany with a broad border of orange-yellow. The upper petals are brown edged with yellow. Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 45¢; ¼ oz. 75¢; oz. \$2.15.

2423 Golden Queen Wellshaped round flowers of a pure and rich deep golden yellow shade.

Blooms very freely. Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 45¢; ¼ oz. 75¢; oz. \$2.15.

2449 Hortense Rose The petals are blotched with varying shades of rose on white, sometimes showing a yellow edge. Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 45¢; ¼ oz. 75¢; oz. \$2.15.

2431 Imperial Blue This has always been a great favorite because of its rich ultramarine-blue color. The three lower petals have a large blotch of a blackish blue tint. Pkt. 10¢; 1/8 oz. 45¢; 1/4 oz. 75¢; oz. \$2.15.

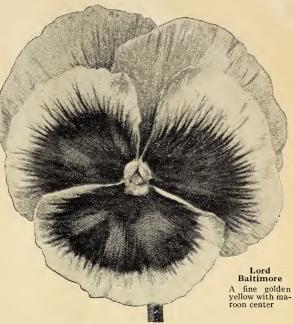
2447 Lord Baltimore A standard variety with immense blooms, having a deep maroon-black blotch surrounded by a bright edge of intense rich golden yellow. The color contrast in this variety is very striking and beautiful. Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 45¢; ¼ oz. 75¢; oz. \$2.15.

2429 Lord Beaconsfield The petals are bright ultramarine-blue shaded with violet. On the upper two petals the color gradually softens until it reaches the top edge, which is white. Pkt. 10¢; ½ 80z. 45¢; ¼ 0z. 75¢; 0z. \$2.15.

2451 Madame Perret The lower petals are usually canary-yellow, white, or rose-pink marked with purple or crimson. The upper petals are bright red or purple, outlined white. Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 45¢; ¼ oz. 75¢; oz. \$2.15.

2445 President Carnot A large and substantial flower of thick texture, borne on fine long stems. The contrast between the purple blotch and the broad pure white border is magnificent. Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 45¢; ¼ oz. 80¢; oz. \$2.30.

2435 Royal Purple A very free flowering variety, excellent for bedding because of its stocky habit, uniform height, and rich color. The flowers are a beautiful shade of rich royal purple. Blooms freely and continuously. Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 45¢; ¼ oz. 75¢; oz. \$2.15.



2421 **Snow Queen** This has always been a favorite for bedding purposes. The pure white blooms stand out sharply from the rich green foliage. They are large and borne profusely. Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 45¢; ¼ oz. 75¢; oz. \$2.15.

2437 Victoria Pleasing deep wine-red flowers—a shade which combines well with almost any other color found in the Pansy class.

Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 45¢; ¼ oz. 75¢; oz. \$2.15.

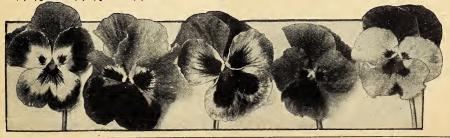
2460 Cassier's Giant The flowers of this strain are noted for their size and exquisite coloring. Each of the three lower and sometimes all five petals have a dark, well-defined blotch. Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 45¢; ¼ oz. 75¢; oz. \$2.15.

#### 2459 Paris Improved Blotched

This is another very fine large-flowering strain which blooms profusely and continuously. Each petal shows a large dark blotch with a lighter edge. Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 45¢; ¼ oz. 75¢; oz. \$2.15.

#### 2420 Extra Fine Bedding, Mixed

A typical bedding Pansy with comparatively small flowers but extremely free blooming for many weeks. They are valuable for beds. Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 35¢; oz. 95¢.



Burpee's Giant Pansies



# 2513 Burpee Blend of Giant Fancy Pansies

For the lover of fine Pansies this blend cannot be surpassed. It contains the largest and most beautiful of all blotched Pansies that have been developed for many years by careful and close selection. The Burpee Blend contains only well-formed, widely expanded flowers of uniformly large size, with an unusual range of colors and markings. The rich deep blue and velvety purple shades deserve particular mention. There are also plenty of bright and lighter shades in this blend to give a well-balanced array of color.

The texture of the blooms is heavy and thick, so that the flowers are well waved and crinkled on the edges. The large flowers are borne upon long stiff stems, which makes them admirably suited for cutting.

In selecting the Burpee Blend, we have paid particular attention to include only compact, rounded plants of sturdy habit and profuse blooming qualities. The plants flower freely throughout the spring, summer, and fall.

Pkt. 25%;  $\frac{1}{16}$  oz. 80%;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. \$1.35;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$2.30; oz. \$7.00.